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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PBOR, PLOS, AS, XV

SUBJECT: AUSTRALIAN ANTARCTIC PUBLICATION.

1. MR. W. BUSH, STUDENT OF FORMER GOA LEGAL ADVISER, ELI LAUTERPACHT, RECENTLY VISITED DEPARTMENT GEOGRAPHER CONCERNING U.S. ARCHIVAL MATERIAL ON ANTARCTIC. DATA LOCATION IN FEDERAL RECORD CENTER ASCERTAINED FOR BUSH AS WELL AS SPECIALISTS IN LC AND ARCHIVES.

2. IN MEETING, BUSH SHOWED HODGSON THREE-VOLUME GOA COMPILATION OF MATERIALS RELATING TO ANTARCTIC. VOLUMES APPEARED TO BE MIMEOGRAPHED WITH PLASTIC, LOOSE-LEAF BINDING. NEITHER SPECIFIC MATERIALS EXAMINED NOR GENERAL VOLUMES APPEARED TO BEAR SECURITY CLASSIFICATION OR CONTROL. THE SERIES ENTITLED "DOCUMENTS RELATING TO ANTARCTICA, VOLS. I, II AND III, OFFICE OF THE LEGAL ADVISER, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, CANBERRA." VOLUME II WAS DATED MARCH 1976;  
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OTHERS MAY BE SAME.

3. MATERIALS IN VOLUMES WOULD BE MOST USEFUL TO DEPARTMENT IN ITS ANTARCTIC NEGOTIATIONS AND RESEARCH. FYI CERTAIN DOCUMENTS SHOWN HODGSON RELATING TO U.K. ATTITUDE TOWARDS SECTOR PRINCIPLE WOULD BE OF GREATEST ASSISTANCE TO DEPARTMENT IN A POTENTIAL ARBITRATION WITH CANADA OVER MARITIME

BOUNDARY NORTH OF ALASKA. END FYI.

4. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO OBTAIN AT LEAST ONE SET FOR  
DEPARTMENT USE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. SEND AIRPOUCH ATTN:  
RDHODGSON, INR/RGE. EMBASSY SHOULD INFORM INR/RGE IF FUNDS  
REQUIRED FOR PURCHASE.

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